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5469 West Iowa Street, Chicago 51, Illinois. Ootober 25, 1963.

Er. L.N. Steinberg, Personal Representative to the General President of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, etc., 25 Louisiana Avenue, N. W. Washington 1, D. C.

Dwar Mr. Steinberg:

Please forgive the liberty I have taken in addressing this letter to you for I have been greatly concerned over not hearing the results of the hearing concerning Mr. Hoffa, by Judge Austin scheduled for October 21, 1963. I trust it was in his favor. I listen to all news reports on WBM-CBS, the picture tube is out but the sound is alright, and heard nothing about this hearing. The young high school student who reads and types for me brought me the enclosed article. I heard this gentleman talking about Mr. Hoffa and am happy to say it was all favorable. He was asked about the public's image of Mr. Hoffa. He said the public's image means nothing, the Union meabers who he represents are 100% for him and elect him their President every time and he organizing and organizing and nothing stops him, and that speaks for itself. He is accused of many wrongs but never convicted. Any man is popular as Mr. Hoffa has any enemys. He has proven himself to his Union members and they are faithful to him.

I was very happy to hear this man and I sincerely hope sverything is favorable with Mr. Hoffa. I can recall the suffering the working aan had before the Unions came to their aid, and may they continue. I am an old woman and have lots to remember.

I do not expect or want an answer to this letter. I just had to give vent to my consternation. The only help I can give Mr. Hoffa is prayers and he gets planty of that.

Sincerely

Julia Harrison.

CHICAGO TRIBUNE, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1963

McDonald Discusses Canadian Ship Union Seizure

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Nr. L. N. Steinberg, Personal Representative to the General President of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, etc., 25 Louisiana Avenue, N. W. Washington 1, D. C.

Dear Er. Steinbarg;

Acknowledging with grateful thanks your kind letter of Septeaber 30, 1963. Your interest in my difficulty is sost gratifying, knowing what a busy man you are.

I note from your enclosures that Mr. Sidney Lenz has discussed this aatter with a lawyer friend of his, who reports that Attorney Jeacs A, Dooley has a reputation for getting good settlements. This is true if the articles he has printed in the daily papers, that he has the largest clientele, wins the most cases for the largest sums of any other attorney, is true. I have been told by any attorneys that this is the beit he uses to acquire this large clientele, which he screens thoroughly and handles only the big cases that will bring him publicity. Cases such as mine are handled by his Associates.

The attached Court Orders may explain the carelessness in handling ay case. On December 13, 1960, the Attorneys for Goldblatts served Attorney Docley, Interrogatories, which were to be answered in 15 days. It was over 100 days before Attorney Docley answered these Interrogatories. In the agan time the Attorneys for Goldblatts entered a motion for disaissel of the complaint due to failure to answer these Interrogatories. On February 25, 1963 the Attorneys had an appearance to discus this matter and on March 5, 1963, the case was placed on *Passed Case Calender* where it can be held indefinitely, and I am denied help and sedical care.

I have suffered greatly for eight years. My Doctor has passed away, also five of my witnesses. If it were not for the fact that I cashed ay Insurance policy and sold my Cemetery lot for expenses, I would have joined these folks. I am blind and permanently injured, having to depend on a neighbor high school student to read and type for as. This life is not worth it and hope does not seem near.

Again thanking you for your kindness.

Sincerely,

Julia Harrison.

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Entered

Nar. 9, 1961 Theodore A. Svinareki Clerk.

ORDER

This cause occing on to oc heard on defendents motion to dicaiss pialatiff's compleiat for failure to enewer Interrogetories propounded by the defendent end the Court being edvised in the previses.

It is and the seas is hereby that plaintiff answer the said Interrogatories ei thin 14 deye.

Dated March 9, 1961.

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Entered Louis A. Elysereki
Judge of the Superior Court.

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SUPERIOR COURT of COOE COUNTY No. 57-5-10127

Entered Merch 5, 1963. Theodore A. Swinarski Clerk

ORDER

ON NOTION OF ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF DEFENDANT

MY AGREEMENT OF COUNCIL,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above entitled couse be pleced on the PASSED CASE GALENDER.

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Judge of the Superior Court.

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September 30, 1963

Mrs. Julia Harrisos 5469 West Iows Street Chicago 51, Illisois

Dear Mrs. Harrison;

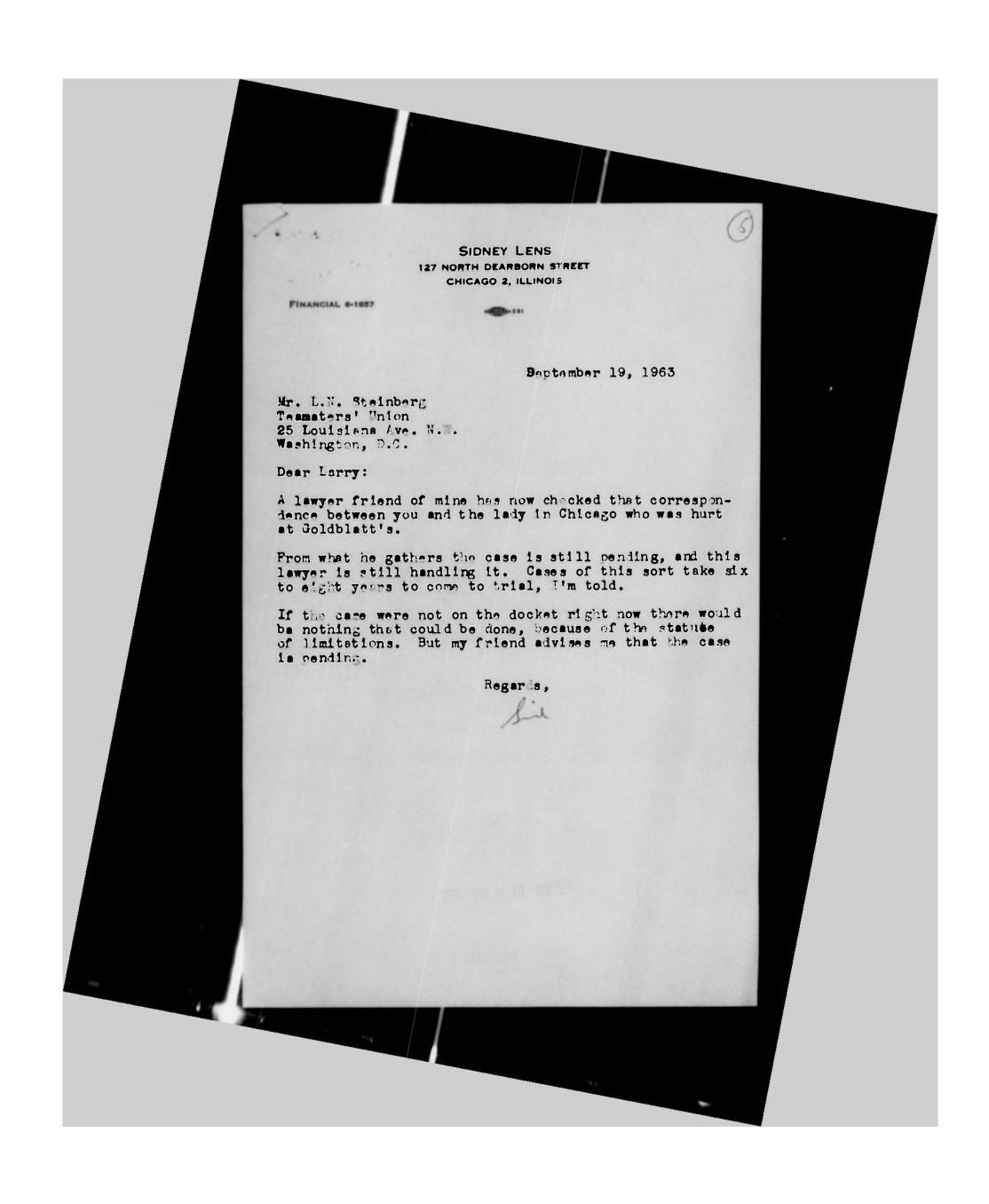
You will note that upon receipt of your letter to General President Hoffs on July 13, 1963, I iemediately communicated with Mr. Sidney Lens, of the United Service Reployees, Local 329, in Chicago, Illinois. For your convenience, I am enclosing copies of his replies, dated September 8, and September 19, 1933. His note to me indicates that your case may take a while, but it in by no eeans closed.

If there is snything else this office can do, please do not hesitate to communicate with us. But my sdvice is that you communicate directly with Mr. Lens at the address on the attached letter.

Very truly yours,

L. N. Steinberg
Personal Representative
to the General President

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SIDNEY LENS
5436 BO. HYOE PARK BLVD
CHICAGO 18. ILLINOIS

NORMAL 7-8487

September 8, 1963

Mr. L.W. Steinberg Brotherhood of Teamsters Washington, P.C.

Dear Larry:

Forgive me for not answering your letter of July 17th, but that was four days after I left for Latin America. I only just returned on Friday.

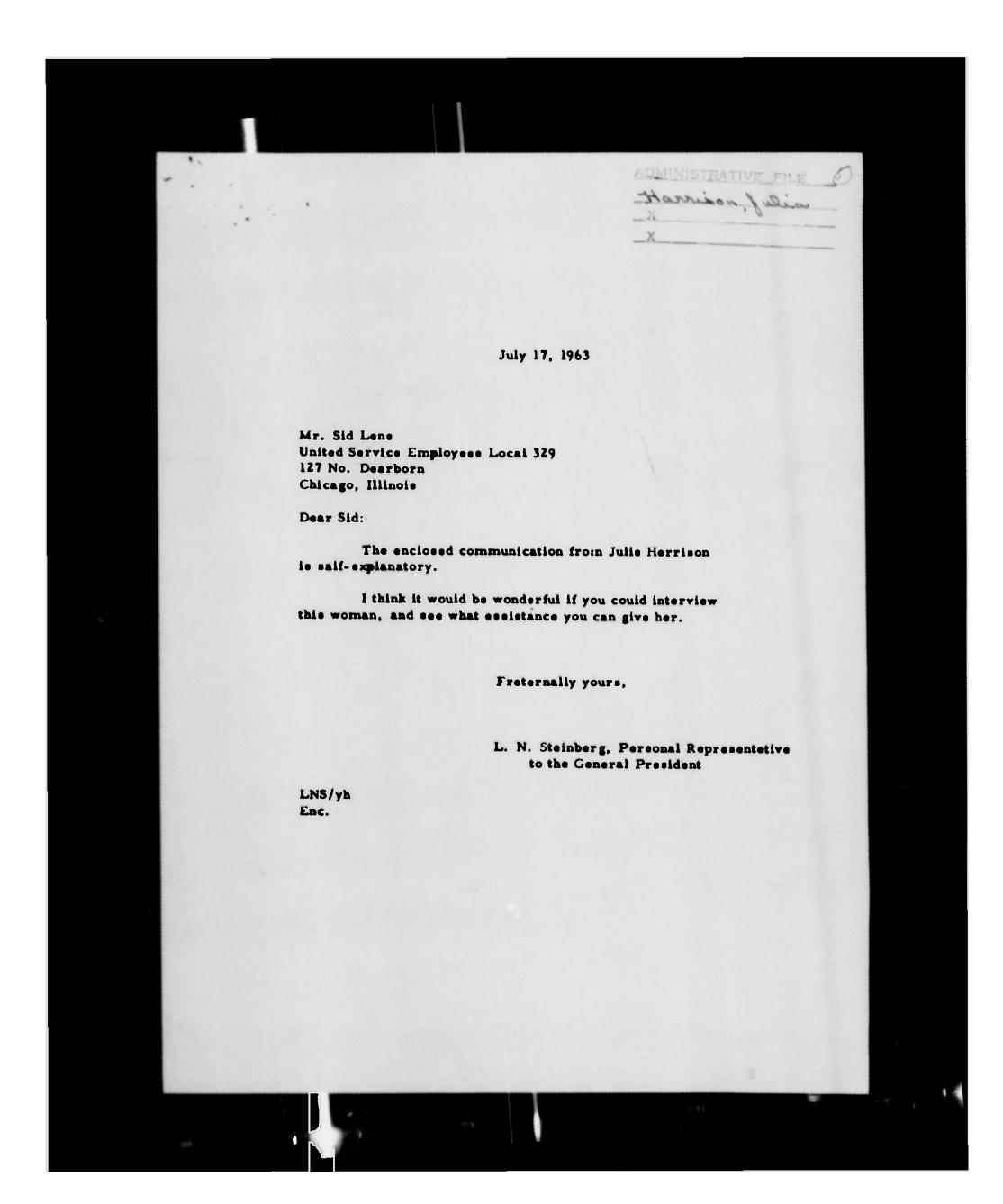
You probably forgot what you wrote to me about but it was concerning a woman who felt she had been maltreated by Goldblatt's and by a certain lawyer. I've discussed the matter where the makes the following two points: 1. That the statute of limitations has probably run out; and 2. That the particular lawyer involved has a renutation for getting good settlments. In fact other lawyers are happy to turn their cases over to him. However, I'm going to give this lawyer-friend of mine the material and ask him to look into the matter. If there's any chance of doing anything I'll follow up on it.

I trust the summer hasn't been too trying on you. I hope you'll look me up for a quiet chat when next you get to Chicago.

Pest regards,

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Iows street, Clicago 51. Illinois. July 15, 1

Jear Lr. Hoffe;

I am lost for words to extress my great pleasure at hearing from you. I did not expect an answer, knowing what a busy wan you are. I just had to express my feelings, as you reminded me so much of my dear and, while I was listening to you on television. The enclosed obituary may live you an idea of why I am so proud of him, and you are his

I was not employed at boldblatt's when I was injured. I went there to purchase a window fan, for the benefit of one of my daughters who had returned home July 10, 1955, after a five year stay in the hospital, due to complications after an apendectory. She had fifty-five surjetes and was a bighty sick girl. (lieture enclosed) I have never seen able to work outside my home as I had a drughter a vistim of policent rhoumatic heart trouble and I would not trust her care to anyone else. I supported four daughters since 1954, since, by sewing, and they are all coilege graduates, nurses and twacners. They are all on their own now and I a alone. The enclosed picture of no was taken June 12, while these in physical fitness and perfect vision. I was injured July 1955 and since then have been helpless and Attorney booley saye my condition is due to my ago. I am not eligible for Social Security or any benefits due to this law Suit.

As the enclosed is all I have may I ask your indulgence to return same to me when you no longer have use for them. You may use any and all as you see fit. The young high-school girl who enjoyed the experience of typing for me is now through school and is working, so I can't depend on her further.

Knowing you are interested in helping me makes my load much lighter and with Jou's help you may be able to turn the tide.

"eny thanks for writing me and heres hoping,

Sincerely

Julia Harrison

17.18, 1965

clurk) on credit, at Joldblatt's store, Madison and Pulseki,

Jaly 10, 1965

Gredit C.I.'d. Colled to pick up fan. Glerk insisted on carry _ asses abross the street to parking lot, to put fen in to of car that was there waiting for me. He was carrying the carton containing the fan on his right shoulder, leaning lead and holding the top of the carton with his left what, we we see leaving the store through the sidule door on Ladison Street, he asked as to open and hold the left hand to pen the west door, the carton slipped off his might shoulder, note my left shoulder and cheet. He unable to regain his hold on the carton, so he threw his weight against it, causing the carton to give me a terrific blow on the left side of my head, pinning me pack against the door. The carton continued to slide down and daught on my ly, bringing or down underneath it to the floor. I

out. The next I knew I wee brought to Goldblatt's Jactor.

In Seymour Hershman - 1 N. Pulaski Road. He said from office examination without x-ray, he sould not say the severity or extent of my injuries, but suspected my enoulder wee broke, as a bone wee protructing and I could not put my left arm down to my side. Instead of sending as to a for immediate attention, as he suspected a fracture, he told me to an index of our x-rmy. The next day I sould not move. I was in pair from need to foot.

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in great pain. I called a cab and with the kindness of the cab driver, I went to the Clinic at the Lincie Research Tospital, as I had no concy for a private doctor or hospital, nor any insurance. I learned the Wes Riscontinued during July and August. That koet of the Doctors were on Vaustion, others on week-end leave. I asked the Rayse for momething for pain. From ay appearance she

thought I ned been injured that day, so she asked so to wait. She raturned with a Loctor. wearls, etreet clothee, maying he was the only evallable Doctor who could person be something for pain. After taking my history, examination and x-ray, and wa'le as was birding up by broken arm and shoulder, he told me I was in a very serious condition with multiple, severe and persenent injuries and will alway need to be unuer the care of a physician. (It was impossible for his to hospitalize me then so he was a Physician from Veterna Rospital, called into Research Rospital on consultation) we explained I had a brain injury to the left aide of my head that impaired my vision, loss of easory, loss of feeling in my enthre right side. My left eye was hemperbaking badly, jaw indury, cousing than to all is to left cheek, left shoulder end are broke, left chest baily erushed also heart injury. Internal injuries in left abdomen and polvie, hernia behind left kame, hole in sale of right foot, caused when right shoe broke and metal arch wee isbudded in sole of right foot, injuring the metatorans. The heel of the right shoe injured me se it was pinned under me. He warned me against allowing any doctor to experiment on my head, saying my injury was in a dan erous spot and serious demare could result. He said nature was a wiraculous healer, if given a chance.

Lulieral a severe none Demorrhage. Made an appointment with Dr. Vincent Soul-6828 West North Avenue, Oak Park, for May

16, 1956. Dr. Daul ordered me into Oak Park Woepital. It was August before I could borrow enough money to enter the hospital. Dr. Gall told me on first visit that he would not take my case, if it eas in the hande of an attorney. He was a heart pat'ent and would not stand the orasel of a Court procedura. I had not even an attorney on the matter, as I too, dislike dourt action. In one year under Dr. Gaul's care it cost se \$600.nospital fees, \$200. Dr. Gall's fees and more than \$30. A month for medicine, yet I was no better.

Afril 27, 1957 I had an appointment with attorney James A. Douley to talk over as accident. Attorney Dooley's

a. Doney to talk over as addident. Attorney Dooley's sdar-en-lil West Washington St., Chicago. He accepted the case and more than ten weeks later he filed suit in Superior

Gaul discharged me saying my Attorney (Mr. Miller, Associate of Attorney Dooley was harassing and annoying him, wanting the same reports and Annays from another foctor

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inclied sever I times at Dr. Gaul's office and he refused to see me. Dr. War passed away March 11 lead to save for year passed away March 11 lead to save for year saying 1t was a medical ones, which not the line. Dr. Steam frew I was with to the funds for the line, so he are the names of two Law Firms and increased I take with one or the other, regurdless of Tr. Increased I take with one or the other, regurdless of Tr. Increased in the steam of two destructions of the last tenth of the second of t

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JA 7-4-62.

Many years ago (1980) when I applied for Incurance, the doctor told se I had a deteract in both eyes, but they were dormant and may never bother me. I passed for Insurance. They never did bother me as 1 kitchen and bathroom, replaced broken such cards with chains, shold a rear porch, installed well outlete and electric fixtures, etc. Just two weeks before the additiont that injured me (July 4, 1985) hum fit double rolls of wall-tex on two hallways and a stairwell. Some of feet long, reaching from roof to first floor, all in one pleas. This certainly required physical fitness and perfect vision. They declars a feet a resource the octaracts for a fee of \$400. Held. not counting hospital, treatment or medicine that followed. I could never rates this a out of noney. A neighbor took me to her ave doctor Dr. Udell-30 .. Itahijan ave., Chicago. February 27, 1950. Mr. Builford (Mr. Dooley's Associate) sent me to Dr. Guttaen - W M. Michaela Ave., Unicago, or October 25, 1960. Dr. Buttmen never looked at ay eye, but seled who was my eye doctor. He called Dr. udell while I was there and asked him for his report. Dr. Guttman estd he was too busy to exemine my eye. Dr. Gattman sent a report to Attorney Douley that I had dishetly setaract. I eas never siven any teers even by Dr. Miell. How could they make such a report?

I am saught in a victors circle and have not the money to fight.

thete for dialette at the Diabetic Clinic - 620 N. Wight and many hospitals and clinics and all proved negative. I have re, to prove same. I am not taking insulin or any other well for liabetic. I never needed the services of a loctor since my labelia was born. 1922, and ork of hard all my life.

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July 10, 1967

April 27: 1987

Jalled on Attorney James A, Dooley, by appointment-111 W. Washingtonist. Ticago, to discuss my accident case. I was nonneparted by e relative, because I was blind. Attorney Dooley morepted the case and requested me to sign several papers, representing them so my consent to his handling the case also to his examining records at doctore office and acceptai. That was the first and last time I as or epoke to Attorney Dooley. He has numerous Associates, all of whom who look at you and talk to you se throat you crewled out of the woodwork. Surely not and written early letters, but never the courtery of a reply Lore tien ten weaks later e petition was filed in Superior Court #67-8-10187 for \$100,000, requesting jury trial. Against Goldblatt Brothers, who are theared by Travelers Insurance Company, represented by Attorneys Kirkland, Pleaing, Green, Eartin and Ellke, Prudential Plata Suda., Inica. . . at so attorneys for Tribune.

September 8, 1968

A petition was filed in United States District Court #68-0-1660 by Mavelers Insurance Company against Milwauhee Hiren, Miller & Jornan - 135 S. Lasalle Street. The Inc. nce Josephny was incired the oar that was earting for as earties the street in the parking lot. Policy #APC-587753, stating I was injured while loading the fan in the trunk of the car (I was injured inside Soldblatt's Store) This case wan dismissed October 16, 1959. He par sourt record

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ttached. I'r. French (Doolev's Associate) requested me to call at his office. There . was presented with three documents and demanded to with them. I objected as I was blind and could not read them. He said if I refuse to sign them the case would be dispissed and I would have no claim. He and the, were interrogeratory questions and a request for a preliminary hearing. I was alone and frightened. He said that was wer I entaged Attorney Dooley to look efter my interest and he is doing just that. I almed tres and later learned from a friend in the lourte that I signed an acknowledgement of receipt of a settlement and agree hot to sue. I tried to get in touch with Mr. French, only to learn he was no longer connected with Doctoy's office. I phoned and wrote to ir. Dooley, but never the odurteey of a reply. This agreement can be found to the private file Fill-Sal-7051 in the office of attorneys for Lilwaukee Insurance Company.

12, 12, 1950

No. From h made en amointment for me to see Dr. Aries 30 d. Michigan and Zeitlin Laboratory, 65 E. Washington St. Than I objected to see this doctor, Mr. French said it was only for court purcees. At that time I was under the cure of Jr. Vincent Jaul. 6525 W. North Avenue, Cak Para, I himbie, ir. French incloted Dr. Jaul wee thece x-rays and report in his report on the case. Dr. Soul passed away faich 11, 1982. Dr. Saul told as these were not my mays and Dr. Artee reported I had hardening of the enteries and arthaute of the spine. Mc mention of sy body emilien left forehead and eye, caved in left cheet, internal injuries on my left hip and Abdomen, all causing me terrific pain

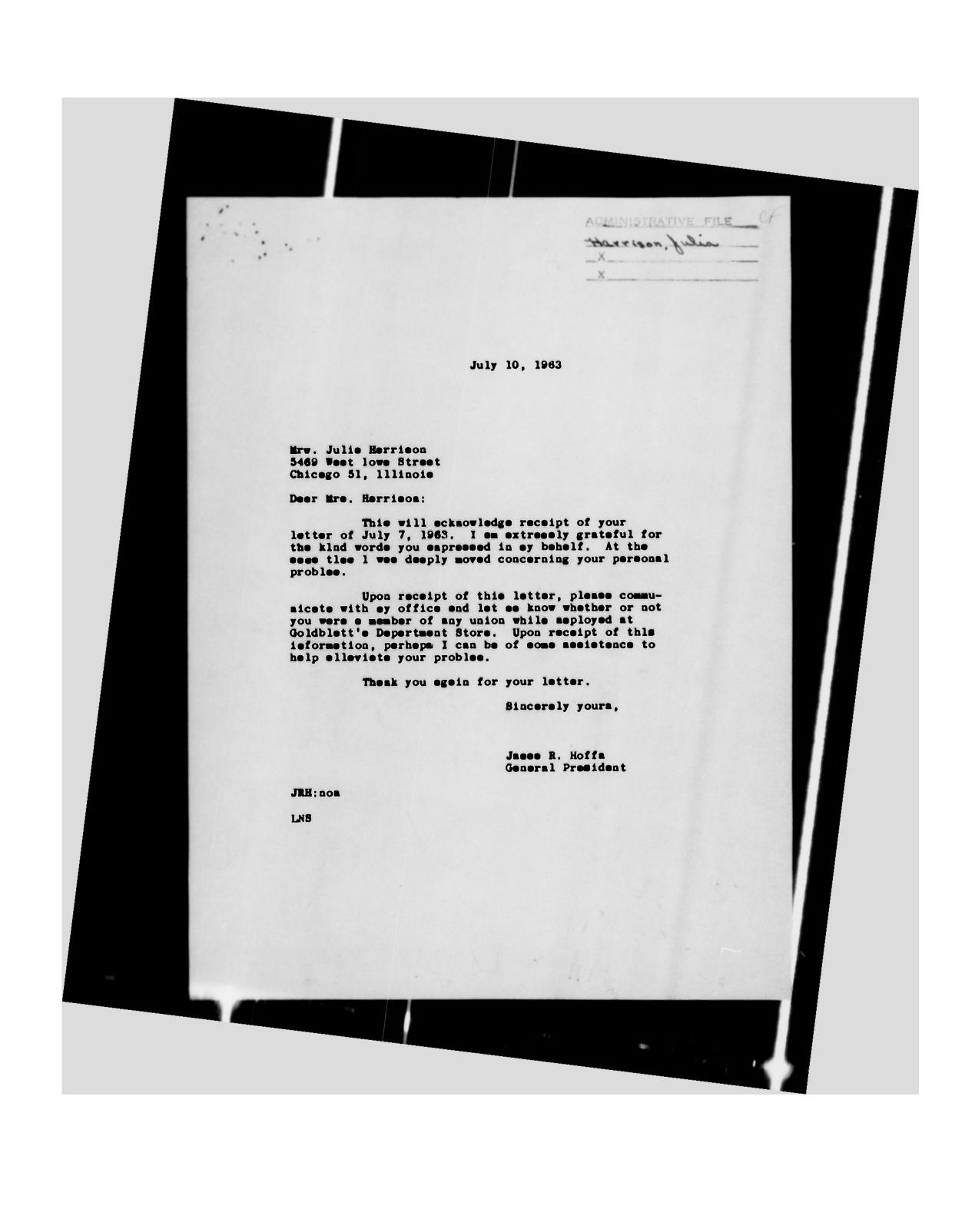
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february 27, 1961

November 8, 1960 (Sunday) "r. Connelly (Dooley's Associate) called at 9 A.M. requesting me to call at his office that evening at 5:30 Pill to answer interrogetory questions pertaining to e preliminary hearing. Ly sieter-in-law accompanied we so she sould read any documente I may be requested to sign. I was asked no questions but presented with three blank papers with several blank she-ts attached and demanded to sign tham. My objectloss act with abuse and insults and easin I was threatened if I falled to aim them the case would be dismissed and I would have no claim. Ly sister-in-law almosad we to at n ther es I had her as a witness as to the conditions The state I was formed to eigh them. I was also given

SUNUAXRY e celf addressed, staaped envelope and told to send any other bills or record is the envelope end be sure it is in the me that might. It had to be postearked that dat I called many times to see that was later filled in on the blank sheets or paper I signed and was refused and 1, 10 mg. Co the insistance of any clorks in Judge Hoffman, Judge Wobson and Judge Ward court and the Clork of the Superior Court, I call at the par Association and talked with an June 30, 1962 Attorney there, who edviced I eign a complaint against Attorney Dolley, as things did not sees right to his. I asked if he sould arrange for se to see that sae eritten on the three blank papers he had se eign. He called Er. Dooley's office and made an appointment at 4:30 P. E. on that day. I kept this appointment but Mr. Dooley refused to talk to me. He can there because I heard the switch-board call him to get his assesses. I want back to the Bar Association and found a different Attorney hearing there with a bie prin on hie face, like the cat that ate the danary, He said if I was not extisfied with Er. Doole I should hire another attorney to investigate Mr. Dooley, I will have to pay this attorney also pay Er. Dooley and Er. Dooley does not have to give him any bills or record. He made it as impossible as he could. He said he had no time to waste on as as others were waiting. I sae the in one there. Hy last contact with them Mr. Murphy told so I was not ailing from my injuries, but from old age. That the Travalare Insurance refused to settle and if they can for a settlement, when they take what is their expense, there will so little or nothing left for so. The Clerk of the Swerter Court said ay file see marked on 3-5-63 P.C.C. Wat about the Court hearing with Jury trial. Looks like a mietake was sais. -# 7-4-52



.469 West Iows Street, Chicago 51, Illinois. July 7, 1983.

Ir. James Hoffa,
Beneral President of International
Frotherhood of Teamsters,
St Louisiana Avenue, S. W.
Sashington,

Dear Er. Hof

I have wanted to write you for some time, but the young night-school girl who does this favor for me was so ousy with parties, proms and graduation, that I could not ask her to do this. Her head was in the clouds.

Men I heard you on television "At Random" you were wonderful. I hope you won't consider me presumptuous, but you prought back memories of many years a o, when my dear low was a charter member of his Union and suited a paper "The Union Leader" to pring before the recole his convictions. Public opinion is a great factor in any the low lustice. He found for his Union as you are doing now. Hen were working twelve hours a day and seven days a week for \$1.00 a week. It is hard to believe that now, but thanks to the Unions and their faithful Leaders, conditions are much better

You are to be congratulated on your firm and courageous stand to protect and benefit your fellow members and you can be sure of their grateful appreciation. Your firm, straightforward, fearless answers to their numerous questions, some uncalled for sarcasm. You remained calm, did not lose your temper, get excited or confused. You must have a wonderful attorney or attorneys to keep them (your enchies) from framing you. I know they have tried, but could not prove their claims. May look keep you with us for many years to come. Ye badly need men like you and regret to say there are so few.

On Frank Reynold's mid-day news report, you mentioned you wanted a quick nearing, so you could relieve the such worried linds of your pensioners. That was positive proof you were thinking of them and not yourself.

I fully a ree with your remark about Attorney General Robert Kennedy. Robert and Ted Kennedy are too young for the responsitives of their position. You can't put old heads on young shoulders, even if they have a hand full of degrees. Book learning without the knowledge that is gained through experience is of little value. I would like to have the both on the clothes like to let their penties dry

Bight years ago, when I was 58 years old, I was severely and premanently injured in Sclublatt's store, when through the careless-ness of a clerk, a 60 pound window fan fell on me, pinning me underneath it to the floor. I put the case in Attorney James A. Docley's hands, He filed suit in superior Sourt #17-5-10127. for \$100,000. asking jury trial. After immeding I si in numerous papers saying they were request for preliminary nearings (I was plind and could not read them) I later lement I signed a prosipt for a settlement and agreeing not to sue. I never received any settlement in any form and never knew I signed this agreement. I wrote to Attorney General Robert Kennedy, but never received the courtesy of a reply. Its no use contacting anyone here in Chicago occause they are all alike and in each others power. I spent a fortune of porrowed money, whose and helpless. Please excuse my straying from the path I started out on with the cest of intentions.

May Woo bless you and keep you in his loving care.

Minerely, Julia Harrison

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